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REQUEST FOR FEE REFUND UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.26(a) AND 1.28(a)

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**Attn: Refund Section, Financial Accounting Division
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Sir:

A filing fee in excess of the required fee has been paid in connection with the above-identified patent application. In particular, a fee of \$760.00 was paid on May 4, 1999. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a), this Request for Refund is being filed timely on June 28, 1999, within two (2) months of the payment of the fee.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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